

(after third folds, refold first to close)

third fold forward

third fold forward

second fold back
(tightly under first, then unfold first and flip)

first fold back

(circle ALL that apply)



Collector: _____ Number: _____ Date: _____
Country: _____ State/Province: _____ County/other: _____
Location: _____

Elevation: _____ m/ft

Coordinates: _____ Datum: _____

LIGHT: sunny, open, filtered, partial shade, full shade **ASPECT:** W N E S facing **SLOPE:** _____ °
WATER: dry, moist, seeping, saturated, splash-zone, wet, submerged _____ m/ft; periodic, occasional
POSITION: top, cliff, slope (ridge, upper, mid, toe, fan), ledge, flat, swale, canyon **HYDROLOGY:** upland,
floodplain, dry channel, riparian, spring, seep, meadow, bog, fen, swamp, pool, snow, ice; edge, bank, beach
DISTURBANCE: glacial, fire, grazed (bovid, equid), human, structure, road (paved, graded), trail, other; edge
VEGETATION: old-growth, dense, open, sparse, barren; cut, cultivated, altered; forest, woodland, glade,
savanna, grassland, forbs, chaparral, shrubland, heath, tundra, non-vascular; dwarf; broadleaf, needleleaf,
microphyllous, succulent; evergreen, deciduous; **DOMINANTS:** _____

SUBSTRATE: acidic, felsic (granite, rhyolite, dacite, quartzite, sandstone, chert), neutral sedimentary or
metamorphic (silt- / mud- / clay-stone or shale; slate, phyllite, schist, gneiss), mafic (andesite, diorite,
basalt, gabbro, serpentine), basic (limestone, dolomite, marble, chalk, gypsum), alkaline (evaporite visible)
ROCK: boulder, outcrop, slab; crevice, underhang; **SOIL:** rocky, gravel, sand, silt, mud, clay, litter, peat,
humus; loose, compact; **PLANT:** root, base, trunk, stump, branch, stem, twig; bark, wood, leaf; live, dead,
rotten; standing, fallen; evergreen, deciduous; lichen, moss, epiphyte, parasite, succulent, shrub, climber,
tree (conifer, hardwood, fern, palm); _____ m/ft above ground on _____